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Agriculture - Grow More Food - Food Production Plans - Surplus iron and steel for distribution for agricultural purposes - Placing of indent.

No. F-1-60/49-SC.
Government of India,
Ministry of Agriculture.

New Delhi, the 20th August 1949.

From

Shri. S.T. Raja, B.A., L.L.B., Bar-at-Law,
Under Secretary to Government,
Ministry of Agriculture,
Government of India.

To

All Provincial Governments.

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Sub:- Surplus iron and steel available for distribution for agricultural purposes.

I am directed to forward herewith a list showing the various categories of iron and steel and the quantities of each at present available in different depots with the Iron and Steel Controller, Calcutta. These materials are at present kept in reserve in order to meet the requirements of the Provinces and States in connection with their food production plans. You are, therefore, requested kindly to examine this list and place your indents direct with the Iron and Steel Controller, Calcutta with a copy endorsed to this Ministry. The last date of placing such indents is at present fixed for 15th September 1949 and it is earnestly hoped that no time will be lost by the Governments concerned in placing their demands with the Iron and Steel Controller, Calcutta. It may please be noted that the materials mentioned in the attached list are available in addition to the bulk allocation for period IV already made by the Industry and Supply Ministry and distributed by this Ministry to the Provinces and States.

Yours faithfully,

(Sd) S.T. Raja,
Under Secretary.

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STATEMENT GENERAL STEEL OFFERED TO PROVINCES AND STATES.

Cat.	15-A Wire (Barbed).	Tons.	253.
	3 Heavy Structurals.	Tons.	730.
	4 Light Structurals.	Tons.	830.
	8A Black Sheets (Plain).	Tons.	178.
	8B Black sheets (Unannealed) - Plain and corrugated.	Tons.	387.
	9A Galvanised Sheets (Plain).	Tons.	235.
	11 Plates.	Tons.	560.
	13A Bars.	Tons.	1813.
	13B Rods.	Tons.	62.
	17 Wire (Misc).	Tons.	317.
	19 Hoops and Strips.	Tons.	1.
	16 Wire Nails.	Tons.	266.
	18 Spring steel.	Tons.	23.
	7A Tin-plates.	Tons.	2.
	7B Terneplates.	Tons.	20.
		Total. Tons.	5677.

Cross Ma-ndates received during July.

C.O.D. Chheoki.	Tons.
Cat. 15B Wire.	744.
13A Bars.	182.
4 Light Struct.	5.
9A Galvanised sheets (Plain).	5.
9B Galvanised sheets (Corrugated).	2.
Total.	938.
Grand Total.	6615.

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Statement showing the requirements of iron and st for agricultural purroses from the list furnished in letter No. F.1.60.49/SC. dated 20.8.1949 from the Government of India, Ministry of Agriculture. New Delhi to the Provincial Government, Madras.

S.No.	Location of the stores.	Cat. No.	Description of the materials.	Quantity in tons.
1.	From the statement General Steel offered to Provinces and States.	9A.	Black sheets Plain. 10-14 G.	178.
2.	-do-	9A.	Galvanised sheets Plain 24 and 26-G.	235.
3.	-do-	13A. Bars. (18 Feet length).	M.S. Flats. for cart tyres. 2 1/8" X 5/8". 2" X 5/8". and 1.7/8" X 5/8". sizes.	1813.
4.	From the cross mandates received during July. C.O.D. Chheoki.	13A. (Bars). (18 feet gths)	M.S. Flats. for cart tyres. 2 1/8" X 5/8" size.	182.
			Total. Tons.	2408.

(Sd) B.M. Lakshmipathi,
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